

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1892.

Commercial.

THE SHARE MARKET.
September 10th.

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LATEST QUOTATIONS

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.—105 per cent. prem., sales and buyers.

The National Bank of China, £d.—on 6/6/92 paid up, 40 per cent. dis., sellers.

The National Bank of China, £d.—Founders' shares, \$200 per share, sellers.

The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, £d.—\$31, buyers.

The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits Ltd.—Founders' shares, 5/8 buyers.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—2½ per cent. premium, sellers.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—2 per cent. premium, buyers.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E—14 per cent. premium.

Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$87 per share, buyers.

China Traders' Insurance Company—\$60 per share, sales and buyers.

North China Insurance—Dis. 230 per share, buyers.

Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$68 per share, sales and buyers.

Yangtze Insurance Association—\$102, buyers.

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Dis. 150 per share.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$252 per share, sellers.

China Fire Insurance Company—\$85 per share, sales and buyers.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$28, sales and buyers.

China and Manilla Steam Ship Company—2½ per share, sellers.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—4½ per cent. discount, sellers.

Douglas Steamship Company—\$36 per share, sales and buyers.

The Steam Launch Co., Limited—par, nominal.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—\$73 per cent. premium, sales and buyers.

Goo, Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$16 per share.

Hongkong Hotel Company—\$33, ex div., buyers.

Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—\$30.

The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited—\$36 per share, sellers.

The Shamer Hotel Co., Limited—4½ per share, sales and sellers.

Pulmon and Simgha Dus Samantan Mining Co.—\$3.50 per share, sales and buyers.

The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$0 cents per share, buyers.

New Imuris Mining Co., Limited—80 cents per share, sellers.

The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited—nominal.

Tonquin Coal Mining Co.—\$15 per share, sellers.

The Celio Mining and Trading Co., Limited—\$5 per share, sales and buyers.

The Samaia Tin Mining Co., Limited—5 cents per share, sellers.

London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—\$2 sellers.

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$130 per share, sales and buyers.

Lucon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$3 per share, buyers.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$15 per share, buyers.

Dalda, Crickshank & Co., Limited—\$21 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$5 per share, sellers.

The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—\$7 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—\$7, sales and buyers.

The West Point Building Co., Limited—\$18 per share, buyers.

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$17 per share, buyers.

Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$47 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Rose Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$48 per share, sales and buyers.

Hongkong Gas Company—\$102 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Ice Company—\$67 per share, buyers.

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Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$63 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—\$7 per share, sellers.

The Green Island Cement Co.—\$5 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$3 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—\$25 per share, nominal.

The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—\$40 per share, sellers.

EXCHANGE.

On LONDON—Bank, T. T. 2/5

Bank Bills, on demand 2/5

Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/5

Credits at 4 months' sight 2/5

Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/5

On PARIS—

Bank Bills, on demand 3/6

Credits, at 4 months' sight 3/6

On INDIA—

T. T. 2/5

On Demand 2/5

On SHANGHAI—

Bank, T. T. 7/2

Private, 30 days' sight 7/2

PILOTS AND RESIDENTS AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr. & Mrs. W. Butchart, Mrs. Robbins, Mr. W. A. Cadby, Mr. H. Hume-Roberty, Mr. J. David, Mr. F. E. Shean, Mr. O. Harley, Mr. J. M. Speet, Mr. J. Kirkwood, Mr. J. Tamet, Mr. and Mrs. Millar, Mr. W. Tarn, Mr. F. J. Mitchell, Mr. O. Weber, Rev. J. M. Morton, B.A., Mr. N. Woos, Capt. W. S. Wyllie, Surg.-Major Robbins.

PILOTS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAK HOTEL.

Mr. Brewer, Mr. E. W. Maitland, Capt. S. J. Butcher, Mr. F. Maitland, Mr. W. R. Needham, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mrs. Parker & children, Cottam, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wm. children, Mr. and Mrs. Perkin, Mr. Chas. Grant, Mrs. Rodger & children, Mr. W. E. van Eps, Mr. W. S. Harrison, Mr. Thomas Howard, Mr. Morton Jones, Mr. V. Kofod.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAILED.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Oceanic*, with mails, &c., from San Francisco, via Honolulu, left Yokohama on the 6th instant, and is expected here on the 11th.

The R. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama on the 30th ultimo.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Galle*, mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama on the 6th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer *Empress of Japan* left Vancouver on the 31st ultimo for Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai, and Hongkong.

The Indo-China steamer *Chelydore* from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore on the 6th instant, and is due here on the 13th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Astar*, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 7th instant and may be expected here to-day.

The Indo-China steamer *Chelydore* from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore on the 6th instant, and is due here on the 13th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Argyll* left Singapore on the 6th instant, and is expected here on the 11th.

The Indo-China steamer *Chelydore* from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 6th instant, and is due here on the 11th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Thibet*, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 7th instant at 11.30 A.M., and may be expected here on the 12th.

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The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Bombay* left London for this port on the 21st ultimo.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

FURHON, Chinese steamer, 1,504, Lancaster, 29th Sept.—Shanghai 7th Sept., General.

FURHON, British steamer, 674, H. Bathurst, 10th Sept.—Farnell 4th Sept., Amoy 5th and Swatow 6th, General.

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The Hongkong Telegraphy.

No. 3244

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1892.

SIX DOLLARS
PER QUARTER

Banks.	
THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.	
Authorized Capital.....\$1,000,000. Subscribed Capital.....\$500,000.	
HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.	
Court of Directors— D. Gillies, Esq., Chairman; C. H. Shan, Esq., W. Wotton, Esq., C. J. Hunt, Esq.; Chief Manager, G. W. F. Playfair.	Chow Tung Shang, Esq., Kwan Ho Chuen, Esq.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE IN LONDON—	
THOMAS CARMICHAEL, Esq.—Messrs. Dent, Palmer & Co.	
JOHN BUTTERY, Esq.—Messrs. John Butter & Co.	
C. B. STUART-WORTLEY, Esq., M.P., for Hallam.	GEO. MUNRO, Manager.
BANKERS— Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.). The Commercial Bank of Scotland. Yokohama—D. FRASER, Manager. Shanghai—J. GALLOWAY, Manager. Amoy—J. ANDERSON, Manager.	

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts issued. Bills purchased and collected. Advances made on Securities or goods in neutral Godowns. Until Bank Agency business undertaken.	
Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.	6 " "
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CURRENT ACCOUNTS	For Rates of Interest for other periods apply to the Manager.
Hongkong, 18th May, 1892.	[88]

NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. (IN LIQUIDATION.)	
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.	
CLAIMS on the HONGKONG BRANCH must be sent to the Under-signed.	Forms may be had on application.
E. W. RUTTER, Attorney for the Liquidator.	Hongkong, 14th August, 1892.

INSURANCES.	
EXAMPLES OF THE COST OF INSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30	
NEXT BIRTHDAY	
\$1,000 STG. payable at death, would cost per quarter, at the rate of 1%	
\$6 13 0 (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life	
or \$9 11 6 (b) If premiums are limited to 20 years	
or \$11 4 6 (c) If premiums are limited to 15 years	
or \$13 0 0 (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous.	
* Secured payments.	
THE same provisions will commence at age 40	
n. b. would cost respectively (a) \$18 15 0,	
(b) \$11 5 0, (c) \$12 4 6, (d) \$27 0 8 per quarter.	
DODWELL CARILL & CO., Agents.	
679-41 STANDARD LIFE OFFICE	
THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	

APPLICATIONS for the post of SECRETARY, which will be VACANT towards the end of the year, are invited. A thorough practical knowledge of FIRE and MARINE Business is necessary.	
Singapore, 14th July, 1892.	[73]

THE SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.	
ASSETS OVER \$1,000,000.	
Policies absolutely non-forfeitable.	
No restrictions as to Residence or Travelling.	
Rates of premia low.	
Policies issued on all approved Forms.	
For further particulars apply to	
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., Agents for Hongkong.	
27th August, 1892.	[87]

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.	
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms.	
Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Office.	
GEO. R. STEVENS & CO., Agents.	
No. 2, Queen's Road, Hongkong, and April, 1892.	

NOTICE.	
THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.	
The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.	
WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.	
HEAD OFFICE—	
NO. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, Hongkong, 1st February, 1892.	[88]

GENERAL NOTICE.	
THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).	
CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000. EQUAL TO £30,000.	£35,119.35.
RESERVE FUND.....\$18,000,000.	

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.	
LEX SING, Esq.,	LO YUK MOON, Esq.
LOU TAU SHUM, Esq.	
MANAGER—HO AMELIA.	
MARINE RISKS on "GOODS," etc., when shipped.	GENERAL AGENT, H. C. GILLES.
HEAD OFFICE, 6 & 7, PRAYA WEST, Hongkong, 1st December, 1892.	[89]

Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE ADJOURNED SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, called to consider the working of Ordinance No. 16 of 1891, during the period in which it has been in operation, will be held at the ROOMS of the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, on THURSDAY, the 15th instant, at 4.15 P.M.

By Order,

ADAM LIND,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th September, 1892. [91]

CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-SIXTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 16th September, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd to the 16th September, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. RAY,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th August, 1892. [83]

NOTICE.

THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company, will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 5, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of September, 1892, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Managing Director's Report and a Statement of Account of the Company's business to 30th June, and electing a new Board of Directors.

Attention is specially directed, in re the election of Directors, to Article No. 10 of the Company's Articles of Association, which reads as follows:

"No person not a retiring Director shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he or some other member intending to propose him, has at least seven clear days before the meeting left at the Office of the Company a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the office or the intention of such member to propose him."

By Order of the Managing Director.

R. C. HURLEY,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, and September, 1892. [87]

NOTICE.

THE NORTH AUSTRALIAN BUTCHERING COMPANY, SINGAPORE.

THIS Company butchers only AUSTRALIAN CATTLE (200 head arrive monthly by their Steamer "DARWIN"), and they now supply Steamers with their sea-stocks, &c. of AUSTRALIAN FRESH BEEF at the same prices as Native Beef.

Orders, either for carcasses or smaller quantities, will receive immediate execution, and may be sent through Dubbers (i.e. Ships' Compradores) or direct to any of the given addresses.

ASK FOR AUSTRALIAN MEAT AND SEE THAT YOU GET IT.

OFFICES—3a, Rafters Place, Singapore; Telephone No. 113.

BUTCHERING ESTABLISHMENT—Orchard Road; Telephone No. 184.

CATTLE CAMP—New Harbour; Telephone No. 21.

Singapore, 1st September, 1892. [90]

NOTICE.

PIANOS, ORGANS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

OF ALL KINDS.

BY THE BEST ENGLISH AND FOREIGN MAKERS.

FOR SALE, HIRE, OR ON THE EASY PAYMENT SYSTEM.

Illustrates Catalogue 1892.

Hongkong, 27th July, 1892. [92]

NOTICE.

MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & CO.

(UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL)

HONGKONG.

ALL our PIANOS are made Specially for us

With Iron Frames, Check Action, Fall Trichord.

Solid Cases, and are beautiful in Tone and Touch,

REPAIRS A SPECIALTY.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1892. [89]

Intimations.

SHOOTING SEASON, 1892!

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1892.

Intimations.
DAKIN, CRUCKSHANK &
CO., LIMITED.
VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

We have received a small shipment of
REAL DEVONSHIRE CIDER from Symons
& Co., Totnes, Devon, in splendid condition.

SYMONIA CIDER,
\$2.50 per dozen.

CHAMPAGNE CIDER,
\$2.50 per dozen.

ZAMENE CIDER,
\$2.50 per dozen.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 20th August, 1892. [30]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.
AERATED WATERS.

GINGERADE.

GINGER ALE.

LEMONADE.

LEMON SQUASH.

LITHIUM WATER.

PHOSPHORIC CHAMPAGNE.

POTASH WATER.

RASPBERRYADE.

SARSAPARILLA.

SELTZER WATER.

SODA WATER.

TONIC WATER.

In the Manufacture of these Waters the purest
Ingredients only are used, and the utmost
care and cleanliness exercised throughout. The
water used is subjected to a perfect system of
filtration, daily examinations and periodically to
searching chemical analyses; so that absolute
purity and safety are guaranteed.

FOR COAST PORTS.

Waters are packed and placed on board at
Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed
for Packages and Empties when returned in
good order.

SUMMER BEVERAGES.

FRUIT CORDIALS.—Raspberry, Strawberry, Lime, Damson, Black Currant, Red Currant, Pine Apple, Orleans Plum, Morello Cherry and Gooseberry.

FRUIT SYRUPS.—Lemon, Lime Juice, Raspberry, Strawberry, &c.

Prepared from genuine fruit juices imported
by ourselves, they contain the full flavor of the
sound ripe fruit, mixed with plain or Aerated
Water, they make delightful summer drinks.

Agents for
MONTSEDET LIME JUICE & CORDIAL.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

Port, Sherry, Claret, Burgundies, Hocks,
Champagne, Brandies, Whiskies, Gin,
Rum and Liqueurs.

A large selection of choice old brands,
Full particulars and prices on application.

TOBACCO, CIGARS AND CIGARETTES.

A complete stock of all the best and most
popular brands.

VIN DE QUINQUINA.

A medicinal wine AGREEABLE TO THE
TASTE containing the valuable properties of
Cinchona Bark combined with a choice brand
of Red Wine.

Its powerful antifebrile qualities tend to ward
off attacks of Malaria fever and to all convalescents—it acts—as a quick—restorative—and
appetizer.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
ESTABLISHED AD. 1841.

Hongkong, 21st July, 1892. [4]

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[PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.]
THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND
HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST.
FOR 1892.

THIS Valuable Work, with many NEW
ADDITIONS and IMPROVEMENTS,
IS NOW READY.

PRICE THREE DOLLARS.

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DIRECTORY" may be sent to the following
Agencies:

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".....Messrs. Heumann, Herbst & Co.
".....Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Limited.
".....Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co.
".....The Hongkong Trading Co., Ltd.
".....Man Yü Tong, Hollywood Road.

MACAO...Messrs. A. A. de Melo & Co., Ltd.
AMOY...Messrs. N. Moles & Co., Ltd.
FORMOSA...Mr. H. W. Churchill.
FOOCHOW...Mr. H. W. Churchill.
SHANGHAI & NORTH...Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Limited,
Shanghai.
JAPAN...Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Limited,
Yokohama.

HONGKONG...The "Siam Free Press" Office,
SINGAPORE...Messrs. Sayle & Co., Limited.
PAKISTAN...Messrs. Amadeo Prince & Co.,
LONDON...to

"THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" Office,
Pepper's Hill
Hongkong, January 2nd, 1892.

BIRTH.
At the London Mission, Hankow, on the 2nd
September, the wife of the Rev. C. G. SPARKE,
of a son.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1892.

TELEGRAMS.

FEMALE SUFFRAGE IN MAORILAND.

LONDON, September 1st.

The New Zealand Parliament has adopted
female suffrage.

THE PREMIER IN TROUBLE.

A heller charged Mr. Gladstone in Hawarden
Park and knocked him down. The Premier was
severely shaken and took refuge behind a tree.
The heller was shot.

AMERICA AND THE CHOLERA
EPIDEMIC.

September 2nd.

President Harrison has issued a decree that
quarantine of twenty days, longer if necessary,
will be enforced at all ports to the United States
against vessels arriving with immigrants.

September 8th.

Cholera has disappeared from Great Britain.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

* * OWING to extreme pressure on our news
columns An Open Letter to the Hongkong
Shareholders' Association is unavoidably held
over until Monday.

THE U.S.S. Monocacy left Shanghai for Chin-
kiang on the 2nd Inst.

SHAO, Governor of Formosa, according to latest
reports from that Island, is suffering from
dysentery.

(Can't add up the total)

The Tonkin pirates in several recent engage-
ments have again inflicted heavy losses on the
French troops.

It is announced that Wu Ta-cheng, the new
Governor of Hunan, and the Governor of Che-
kiang have left Peking for their respective posts.

The trial of James Frame for the murder of
George Lemon will, it is stated, open in the
United States Consulate-General, Shanghai, on
the 20th inst.

His Excellency Wang Pêng-tsao, the new Chi-
nese Minister to Tokio, did not leave Tientsin
in the *Hsiayi* as telegraphed, being detained
owing to the obsequies of the late Lady Li.

We have been asked to state that a special
meeting of the Marine Officers' Association will
be held on Monday evening at which the Pre-
sident, Capt. Samuel Ashton, will preside.

MR. W. H. Treacher, C.M.G., ex-Governor of
British North Borneo, and lately Secretary to
the Perak Government, has been appointed
British Resident at Selangor; the appointment to
take effect from the 17th March, 1892.

TIMES must be improving in Shanghai. The
N. C. Daily News says that twelve well-
appointed tandem met in front of the Hongkong
and Shanghai Bank on the 5th Inst. for a drive
down Hongkong. No wonder there has been a
big boom in Bank shares.

The typhoon has gone to Jericho, or Hades, or
somewhere or other. Perhaps it is still
"stationary" and intends to settle down and
live permanently north by south east of
Hongkong. Cones, drums, etc., have all been
stowed away till Monday.

We observe from the *Japan Herald* that, owing
to the injury of his foot, Lieut. Comdr. Hough
was unable to proceed in command of the
Rattler, the doctor having ordered his removal to
the Naval Hospital. The vessel proceeded to
the Yangtze under command of Lieut. Grant.

THE Austrian Yangtze river steamer *Chang-on*
on arrival at Shanghai on the 9th Inst. reported
that the ruins of the old fortification of Mud
Head have now entirely disappeared, as has
also the powder magazine. The steamer passed
swarms of locusts from Nanking reach to Silver
Island.

THE libel suit *Mitchell v. Fraser-Smith*, in
which the plaintiff claims \$1,000 damages for
an alleged libel published in the *Hongkong
Telegraph*, will be heard in the Summary Court
on Monday next at 10 a.m. before Mr. H. E.
Pollock, Acting Police Judge, and a special jury
of three.

THE police are still carrying on their useless
crusade against gamblers, and this morning
another four votaries of the highly intellectual
game of *pai-sa* were haled up before Mr.
Wodehouse, proved to have been engaged in a
game in Cochran Street last night, and fined
\$50 each. They paid up like men.

THE distressed Turkish wanderer, twelve in
number, probably escaped convicts from Vla-
disvostok, who were recently landed here by the
German steamer *Oscar T. Fowler*, 35 tons,
had been noted from time of the Caroline Islands,
and at once a sharp lookout for the missing
vessel was instituted, not only on the coast of
China but also in the Philippines, Australia and
along the coasts of South America. About a
month ago a strange schooner, turned up at
Ponape, and the steward on board reported to
the authorities that the master and mate of
her had murdered the whole crew, excepting
himself, in the Carolines, and cleared out
with the vessel, taking him—that was how she
came to turn up at Ponape. The vessel in question
which was of 51 tons capacity, was promptly
searched and the fact of American, French,
Russian and Spanish government seals being
found on board led to grave suspicion that she
must be the "missing" schooner, had been
lengthened and her name and papers changed
to some obscure South Sea island, with a view
to avoiding detection. The captain and mate
were arrested and, after receiving rough treatment
at the hands of the Spanish authorities at Ponape,
were sent on to Manila where they now await trial.
We understand that about two weeks have
elapsed since the *Oscar T. Fowler* was missed
from Vap (Carolines); under very suspicious
circumstances and that Peter Tousaint, who was
mate of her at the time, was supposed to have
fallen overboard and been swallowed by a shark.
The present mate, however, gives his name as
Peter Tousaint, which looks as if like Jonah
of old, he was too tough for the pinching digestion
and had been thrown up again alive and kicking.
Mr. Liddiard made an unfortunate exhibition
of himself as an inkkeeper, which one cannot
easily explain; he has a good voice, and sense
enough to get through an easy part fairly, yet

St. Peter's SEAMEN'S CHURCH.—The Missions
steam-launch *Doy Spring* will call alongside
vessels hoisting code pennant C, between 9 and
10:30 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to
the 11 o'clock service, returning about 12:30 p.m.

A TELEGRAM was received in Shanghai last
Saturday from Peking stating that Mr. Howard
Martin, First Secretary of the United States
Legation, had disappeared, and asking that the
abconder should be arrested at Yokohama
through the U.S. Consul-General. Mr. Martin
it appears, had been living in regal style and
lavishing hospitality with a princely hand, until
upside bills amounting to over \$10,000 had
accumulated, and not having funds to meet his
creditors' pressing demands, he performed the
"vanishing act." It is believed, however, that
Mr. Martin will either return to Peking, or remit
from the United States the amount due.

THE following, says the *Shanghai Mercury*,
are the Hankow tea statistics for the present
year, compared with the corresponding circular
last season, viz.: 29th August 1891:

HANKOW TEA.	1891.	1890.
Shipments to Europe... 255,658 t-Chess.	186,924 t-Chess.	
Native account... 47,853 "	51,416 "	
Stock... 15,000 "	35,000 "	
Arrivals... 517,940 "	517,161 "	

KUANG-TUNG TEA.	1891.	1890.
Shipments to Europe... 114,645 t-Chess.	116,104 t-Chess.	
Native account... 19,740 "	827 "	
Stock... 1,980 "	1,715 "	
Arrivals... 195,940 "	191,105 "	

The entire business to date as compared with
the corresponding circulation last year is as under:

HANKOW TEA.	1891.	1890.
Shipments to Europe... 110,000 t-Chess.	106,000 t-Chess.	
For London & America... 100,000 t-Chess.	97,000 t-Chess.	
For Russia... 10,000 "	10,000 "	

The *Yunnan Shitshun*'s power of invention has
been developed to such an extravagant degree
that it becomes a nice question whether the
police should not interfere to check the flow
of its demoralising mendacity. Recently it told
us of a man who killed his wife in order that
he might retain portion of her liver to give
to eye-medicine, his mother, and now, it
recounts, an equally monstrous yarn about a
pathetic patient who believed that roasted baby
would cure the degeneration of his lung tissue.
In each case the names and localities of the
parties concerned are duly given, and every
detail capable of enhancing the verisimilitude
of the story is added. But it is easy to see that
the same romancer is responsible for both falsehoods.
In the case of the fatal assassin, the man was represented as a particularly plump
and single-minded person, and before he conceived the notion of killing himself,
his child, or his wife in order to obtain the desired medicine, he is described as having
visited various drugstores in search of a modicum
of human liver. So, too, the consummate individual becomes, in the hands of the same
mendacious and clumsy chronicler, a simple,
credulous kind of man, who, having been told that
the roasted flesh of a fellow-mortals would
restore him to health, went to all the apothecaries
in the district asking for that delicacy,
and even tried to strike a bargain with house-
holds which death had just visited. Finally, he
found an *infante* widow in desperately penurious
circumstances, who, seeing no chance of
raising her child, agreed to kill it immediately
after its birth, and to hand the body to the
lunatic Ugo Tokuburo. This being done,
Tokuburo is made to carry it to the hills and
bake it in a jar, but after all his pains the viand
is too revolting, and he ends by selling, phials
and all, into the hands of the police. If the
Yunnan Shitshun must invest in its inevitable
destiny it is to be a propagator of lies, says the
Japan Mail, why not give us some pretty,
exciting, or artistic fable instead of these revolting
romances, the products of a diseased
inhuman and illiterate mind?

(Can't add up the total)

In the House of Commons on the 11th August,
Mr. T. W. Russell asked the Under Secretary
for Foreign Affairs what steps had been taken
in regard to the claim for compensation made
by Dr. James A. Greig, one of the missionaries
of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, against
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LONDON, August 24th.

It appears that the object of the adoption of the eight hours' movement in Lancashire is to restrict the production of mills. The masters are showing no readiness to work short time. The Vienna correspondent of the *Daily News* telegraphs that the Russian officials of the trans-Caspian provinces have been directed by their Government to receive hospitably the rebel refugees from Afghanistan. The Amir of Bukhara has also issued similar orders to his officials.

Mr. Mundell, in speaking at Sheffield yesterday, said that new taxation would possibly be necessary, but would not affect the industry of the country. The Government, he said, would never abandon free trade.

In the cricket match between Surrey and Lancashire, the latter were beaten by seven wickets, and in the match between Somerset and Middlesex the latter were beaten by seventy runs.

Lord Ribblesdale has been appointed Master of the Buckhounds.

Cholera has broken out at Hawie and there are suspicions of the disease having appeared at Antwerp.

The death is announced of General De Fonseca, ex-President of Brazil.

August 25th.

Sir W. Harcourt has been re-elected for Derby by a majority of nearly five thousand over Mr. Atkinson, the Conservative candidate.

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H.M.S. *Warrist*, a first-class armoured cruiser of 14 guns, 820 tons burden, and 1000-horse power, the flagship of the Pacific Squadron, entering the harbour of Esquimalt, Vancouver Island, got aground and sprang a leak.

The Paris correspondent of the *Times* states that news has reached Paris from Fez to the effect that each of the Moorish Ministers who prevented the Sultan, Muley Hassan, from entering into an agreement with Sir Charles Evans-Smith, the British Resident, for the establishment of a commercial treaty with England, received 10,000 francs from a French agent, M. Sanbar, the chief of the spymen, who was in Morocco on a prolonged absence, which means a full in French activity.

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The miners of Tracy City, Tennessee (U.S.A.), seized the convict labourers working in the mines, and put them to train and deported them from the city.

LATER.

The miners at Tracy City have killed several of the convict labourers employed in connection with the mines.

The Governor of Tennessee declares that he will have the ring leaders shot.

Three thousand of the inhabitants of the town of Tabriz, in Russia, have died from cholera. The town has been deserted.

Five thousand persons died from cholera in Russia generally of the 11th instant.

The agitation in India over the silver question is increasing. The apparent unpopularity of the Government is giving rise to grave dissatisfaction.

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MELBOURNE, August 26th.

An attempt has been made to cut the new second-class cruisers, *Apollo* and *Natal*, went ashore at Berehaven in a fog. They were both scuttled.

The ship *Arthusa* struck a torpedo boat, and knocked a hole in the craft with her propeller. Two men were injured.

An explosion took place aboard another of the torpedo boats, whereby three men sustained injury.

August 26th.

The naval manœuvres have been concluded.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this column.

A GROWL FROM THE BATH-HOUSE.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

DEAR SIR.—The stagnation of the thick and constant supply of frothy and insipidous contents of the sewer which is right opposite the Bath-House, has led to the filling up of the Praya Reclamation, which has had the effect of altering the course of the tides, and consequently the place is almost unfit for human beings to bathe in.

When some time ago an article on the disgraceful state of the Bath-House appeared in your columns, I, with many others, hoped that it would have a salutary effect on the Committee who, we fully expected, would take steps to ensure the discontinuation of the accumulation of rubbish and lasting debris that are at once a nuisance and a source of danger to the unfortunate members who do not possess ample means to allow of their frequent or summer resort to their daily dip; but I was sorry to state that up to the present, nothing has been done to remedy the existing evil.

No excuse can be brought forward on behalf of the Committee, whose supineness and utter disregard of the requirements of the members do not reflect very great credit on their management.

Surely, the Government, if approached in a proper manner, would not object to the erection of a new Bath-House of the Praya Reclamation, when it is a question of the health of about five hundred members of the European community being at stake.

Probably the Committee feel disinclined to move in the matter owing to the financial straits of the Club, but that difficulty could easily overcome by raising the subscription for 1892 to £15, a sum that is not likely to meet with any opposition from the members themselves.

If once the sanction of the Government were obtained for the proposed site, the construction of the new Bath-House should immediately be proceeded with in order to get it ready for next season.

I sincerely hope the powers that be will accept the suggestion in the spirit it is offered, for I have no doubt the new Bath-House would attract a great deal of new comers and prove a great boon to the community.

Yours truly,

A DISGUSTED MEMBER.

Hongkong, September 10th, 1892.

THE ST. LEGER.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

SIR.—In giving the result of the race for the St. Leger in last night's *Telegraph* you give

Baron de Hirsh as the owner of the winner, (La Fée), and of the third (W. de la Poer). This morning's *Daily Press* makes Baron de Rothschild owner of both horses, and from to-day's *China Mail* ("Extra") it would seem that Baron de Hirsh owns La Fée and Baron de Rothschild Watercess.

You can't all be right, so kindly state which paper's description is the correct one.

Yours truly,

INTERESTED.

Hongkong, 10th September, 1892.

[That published in the *Telegraph*; both La Fée and Watercess are the property of Baron de Hirsh; and were trained by Baron Porter at Klyscleve, who, as everybody knows, is also the trainer of Orme. As La Fée is the One Thousand Guineas in Newmarket and the Oaks at Epsom in Baron de Hirsh's colours, even Grannan should have made no mistake as to her ownership; however, our contemporaries' blunders arise partly to the fact that La Fée and Watercess would appear from *Ruff's Guide* to have been trained by Baron de Rothschild.

Four thousand cabmen in Paris have struck

work.

Five thousand omnibus men threaten to go out on strike.

The rebellion in Afghanistan, which is generally believed to be the outcome of Russian intrigue, is spreading, and a regiment of British troops has been despatched by the Indian Government to protect the inhabitants of the Kuram Valley against the rebel raiders. This move is said to have been made in response to the direct appeal of the Amee.

A shocking occurrence has occurred in Monmouthshire. A configuration broke out during the night, and before assistance could be rendered eleven of the inmates were burned to death.

Serious earthquake shocks have occurred in Ireland, Wales, and the West of England, causing much excitement and alarm in the localities chiefly affected.

The strike among the cabmen of Paris is at an end.

Terrible heat has prevailed throughout Europe during the past week, and a great number of deaths from sunstroke are reported. The heat was of extraordinary and exceptional character, that it was found necessary to close all the schools and places of amusement in Berlin, and the military manoeuvres in various parts of the country were stopped for the same reason.

The village of Glaruswald, in Switzerland, has been almost totally destroyed by fire. Some English lady tourists located at the village principally assisted the local fire brigade by handing along buckets of water.

It is stated that Mr. Munro, Agent-General for Victoria, intends returning to Australia early in September, on leave of absence, for the purpose of exploring matters to the indigenous share of the Real Estate Bank.

Another terrible earthquake, accompanied by a furious storm and disastrous floods, has occurred in Japan. It is stated that over ten thousand houses have been wrecked, and it is estimated that over five hundred of the buildings have perished.

The cholera scourge continues to spread, and by latest accounts has reached Hamburg, Antwerp, and other parts of Western Europe.

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"HE WANTED TO SEE THE WHEELS GO ROUND."

There was once a bright baby boy who loved to examine the internal structure of his uncle's watch in order, as he remarked, that he might "see the wheels go round." Smart and inquiring fellow! Some day he may make a watch that will keep better time than those which are made to sell and can with difficulty keep up with the days of the week, to say nothing of hours and minutes.

But for a hundred persons who know how a watch is constructed how many know what kind of "works" are inside their own bodies? Not one. Now the heart is the human pendulum. Sometimes it beats too fast and sometimes too slow. What makes it act in that way? Can you tell? Probably not. When its irregularity frightens you, you see "a doctor." Why don't you study up the subject yourself and learn as much about it as any locomotive driver is bound to know about his engine? Can't you? Yes you can.

Look here, for instance. A man writes: "My heart would throb and beat as if it might jump out of its place." The "wheels" were going much too rapidly within his body. It was "gaining time" at a fearful rate, and when that happens a man feels his death faster than it is pleasant to think of. What was wrong with the machinery? Suppose we look into it and try to find out.

He says that up to April, 1890, he had always enjoyed good health. At that date he had an attack of influenza or the "croup." This left him in a weak condition, as it commonly does. One morning, the following July, he found a great patch of eruption, resembling ringworm, covering his thighs, which gradually spread until it covered the abdomen and all the lower part of his body. After this his appetite failed, and the natural and necessary act of eating caused him great pain in the chest. He adds: "The wind rolled around my chest and drove all the blood into my head."

No doubt he describes the sensation correctly, but the fact probably was that there was too little blood in his head rather than too much, and the wind had nothing to do with it. His system was underfed through the disease, and his bodily machine was running too fast from very weakness, not from surplus power; just as a ship rolls and tumbles about on the sea from lack of ballast. "I would go into a great heat," he says, "and the pain and distresses were so bad that I feared I should fall down in a fit. At one time my hands and feet were cold and clammy, and at other times they would burn as if stung with nettles. For over three months I continued like this, getting weaker and weaker every day."

Certainly, what else could be expected? "Feeling now very anxious," he proceeds to say, "I saw a doctor, who gave me medicines and embrocations, but they were of no use, and I got worse. In August, 1890, it was read in the Freeman's Journal about Mother Solig's Syrup, and thought it might possibly help me. I procured a bottle from the Medical Hall, Ballinamore, and to my surprise after taking it I was much better. Further use of the Syrup caused the eruption, or rash, to disappear, and my food began to relish. I could soon eat anything. I was completely cured and was able to work again. I thank God that Solig's Syrup was made known to me, and I am thankful to inform the public of its excellence so other poor sufferers may try it."

(Signed) William O'Hara, Llananagh, Bawnboy, Cullagh, County Cavan, Ireland. June 6th, 1891.

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Hongkong, 5th September, 1892. [191]

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